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FAIRYLAND

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## NEW INTRODUCTIONS

# CLARENCE D. FORTNAM

(*Red Penny X Myrna*)



We believe and hope that this glad will prove to be a fitting memorial to the great showman for whom it is named.

"CLARENCE D. FORTNAM" is a glad with a statuesque beauty, blush pink in color. Its 5" florets, heavily ruffled and needlepoint, are borne on a 24" flowerhead with 8 of its 21 buds open and another 8 showing color. The champion spike at the 1949 Maryland show held 10 open on the second day. The height of the plant in the field is 56". It blooms in 90 days from bulbs planted directly from cold storage. If the bulbs are sprouted at planting time they will doubtlessly bloom a week to ten days earlier. Bulblet production and germination are excellent. Its heavy substance, tight attachment and ability to open when cut make it a promising cutflower. As an exhibition variety its show record speaks for itself.

1948: Voted "most beautiful" at Eastern International Show, Winner of American Home Achievement Medal at both the Keystone State and Maryland shows.

1949: Grand champion at Maryland show. Best spike in open division, and "most beautiful" at the Eastern International Show. "Most Beautiful", and second day champion at the Lima show.

*Introductory prices:* Any size bulb, \$5 each.

No bulblets for sale this year. (If we are sold out of the size you order, may we substitute the nearest size in stock?)

# FAIRYLAND

(*Red Penny X Howard Wright Seedling*)

FAIRYLAND is a heavily ruffled glad of medium size. The color is a medium rose with an inconspicuous throat mark of a deeper shade. It is recommended chiefly for its decorative value. It opens six 4" florets with six more showing color on a 15-16 bud spike. Height 50". Flower-head 22". Stem is straight and strong. Propagation is excellent. A basket of FAIRYLAND won the N.A.G.C. medal for champion basket at the 1949 Keystone State Show.

*Introductory prices:* Any size bulb, \$1. each. Bulblets, 10 for \$1. Starter unit of 1 large, 3 medium and 5 small bulbs, plus 25 bulblets for \$8.



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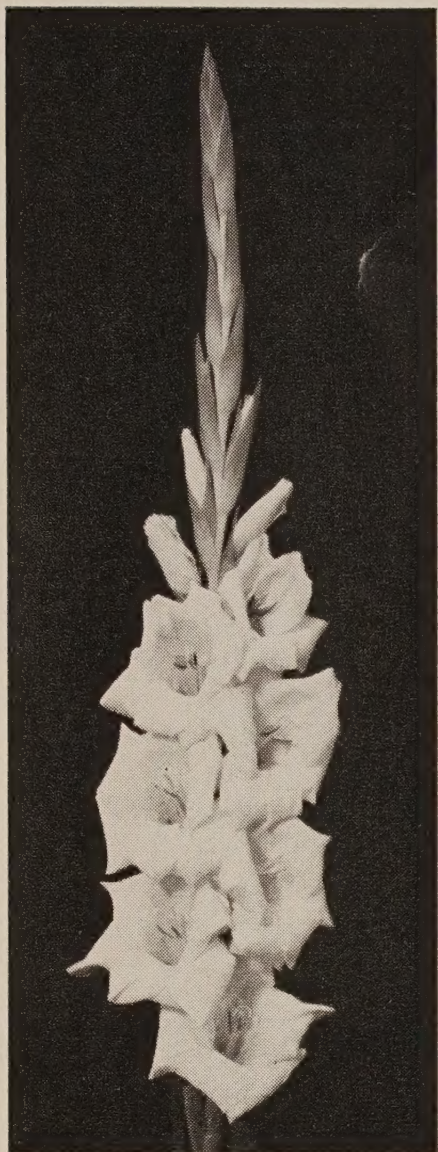
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# FORMALITY

*Lavender Queen X  
(Mother Kadel X New Era)*

FORMALITY is blush lavender in color with a cream throat. The 4" florets with recurved petals are close-set without crowding. This gives the spike a quite formal appearance, especially so when 8-10 florets are open at one time. The 24" flowerhead carries up to 22 buds. Because of its precise form and habits we believe it will be hard to beat on the show table in the 300-section. Propagation is excellent. Blooms in 88 days from cold storage.

1949 awards: American Home Achievement Medal at Eastern International Show at Binghamton. Best 300-spike in open division at Delaware. Seedling rating "A" at Keystone State and Delaware Shows.

*Introductory prices:* Large bulbs, \$2.00 each. Medium and small bulbs, \$1.00 each. Bulblets, 10 for \$1.00. Starter units of 1 large, 3 medium and 5 small bulbs, plus 25 bulblets for \$8.00

# INVITATION

*Lavender Queen X (Mother Kadel X New Era)*

INVITATION is a sister seedling to FORMALITY and differs from it chiefly in that the color is a "baby-pink" with a cream throat, and it is earlier. It blooms in 73 days. Like FORMALITY the petals are plain and recurved. Height 54". Flowerhead 24". Propagation is excellent.

While we missed the shows with this one we believe it too will be a worthy addition to the 300-section. We know the florists like it.

Introductory prices are the same as for FORMALITY.





## FORMER INTRODUCTIONS

# JOURNEY'S END

*(Picardy X Pfitzer's Triumph)*

This glad is a happy blend of its two great parents. Color is a salmon red, the throat and petal margins being a deeper shade than the rest of the flower. Color class is 532. Its 6" florets are carried high on a tall, strong stem. Early. JOURNEY'S END never fails to attract. Its chief fault is that the bulblets are sometimes slow to germinate. We have learned that bulblets held over one growing season and planted the next germinate quite satisfactorily. If you order bulblets and prefer the old crop ones, please indicate on the order sheet.

(L 1-.25; 10-2.00) (M 1-.20; 10-1.50) (S 2-.25; 10-1.00) (Bulblets 10-.25; 100-2.00)



# TEMPTATION

*(Blue Beauty X King Lear)*

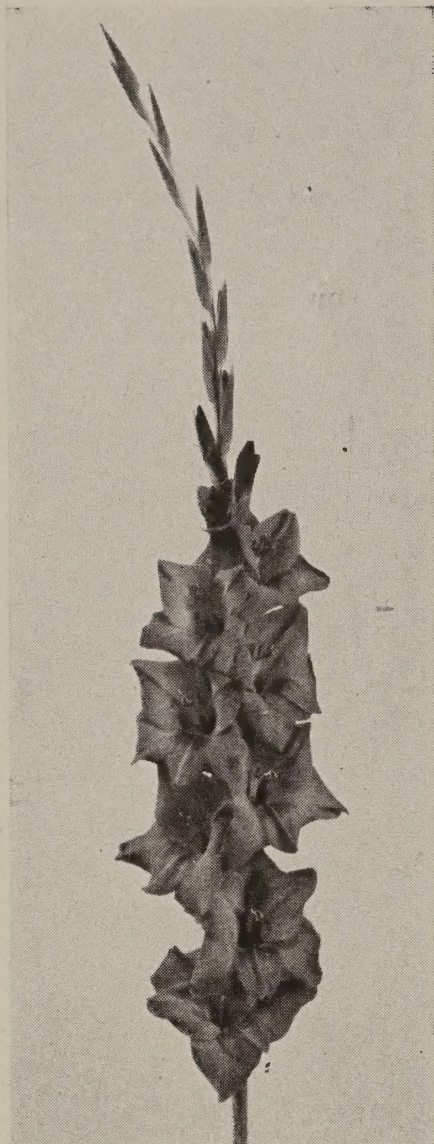
TEMPTATION, class 470, is a radiant, self-purple glad which opens six 5" florets with 6 more showing color on an 18-bud spike. Height 58". Blooms in 75-80 days. Bulblet production is heavy and germination excellent. We have had many reports of its fine performance from others who grew it this season. We can report that it bloomed for us during the hottest part of our dry season without the slightest trace of damage.

(L 1-2.50; 10-20.00) (M 1-1.75; 10-14.00) (S 1-1.25; 10-10.00) (Bulblets 1-.25; 10-2.00)









# WAR PAINT

*(Red Penny X Regent)*

This is a large scarlet (class 436) which opens 8 or more florets on a 22 bud spike. Height 54", flower-head 27". Because of its strong straight stem and long flower-head it makes an excellent garden glad as well as cut flower variety. It does not burn or crook.

WAR PAINT continues to turn in a good performance at the shows. In addition to many firsts this season, we know of at least one grand champion and three sectional champions to its credit.

(L 1-1.00; 10-8.00) (M 1-.75; 10-6.00) (S 1-.50; 10-4.00) (Bulblets 4-.25; 100-4.00)



# VOODOO

*(Picardy X Pfitzer's Triumph) X Bagdad*

VOODOO is a novelty and exhibition glad with 6" florets, ruffled and needlepoint. Its color has been variously described as a smoky, wine-bronze or plum. It is unique in that pigmentation occurs as a stippling on a light background, rather than as a solid color.

(L 1-.35; 10-3.00) (M 1-.25; 10-2.00) (S 2-.25; 10-1.00)



# MAMIE

*(Picardy X Giant Nymph)*

This is a tall, strong, large-flowering salmon pink glad. Its color is a shade deeper and pinker than Picardy. When the Bottom florets open most of the buds show color, the larger ones having a prominent flare at the tip. This greatly increases the decorative value of the spike.

(L 3-.25; 10-.65) (M 5-.25; 10-.40) (S 8-.25) (Bulblets pkt.-.25)

# MOTHER KADEL

*(Picardy X Spray Of Gold)*

A clear, pure yellow without markings. Class 312. Opens 5-7 with 5 more showing color. A proven winner in its color class and a popular commercial.

(L 2-.25; 10-1.00) (M 3-.25; 10-.60) (S 10-.40) (Bulblets pkt.-.25)

# RED PENNY

*(Apricot Glow X Pfitzer's Triumph)*

A live orange-red, class 336, which is especially valuable as an early cut flower. A healthy, vigorous grower which propagates rapidly.

(L 2-.25; 10-1.00) (M 3-.25; 10-.60) (S 10-.40) (Bulblets pkt.-.25)

# SPRING SONG

*(Red Penny X Libelle)*

SPRING SONG is an early, lavender glad which is recommended for the cut-flower trade. Florets are large, ruffled and have a throat marking of a deeper shade. Flower-head measures 27" and usually carries 16 buds although 20 buds are not uncommon on first spikes. Overall height of plant is 50 inches. Stem is consistently straight. Like many early varieties it does best when it can make its early growth in cool weather. Bulbs planted for mid-summer blooms make saleable spikes but of lesser quality than the early ones. For those interested in hybridizing, we find that when SPRING SONG is crossed with a "blue" glad it produces a fair number of "blue" seedlings.

(L 1-.40; 10-3.20) (M 1-.30; 10-2.40) (S 1-.20; 10-1.60) (Bulbets 10-.25; 100-2.00)

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